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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner Interview conducted on March 13, 2002, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-captioned application.

AMENDMENT

Please amend Claim 20 as follows:

20, (Twice Amended) An assembly, comprising:

a film including a plurality of substrate units with each of said plurality of substrate units being adapted to electrically interface with a corresponding die, each one of said plurality of substrate units being generally defined on said film between a pair of flanking slots wherein each flanking slot in the film extends such that it is in contact with a side rail of a carrier and that said slot is placed only in the area where the assembly is to be cut, and that said carrier is in mechanical communication with said film for providing enhanced rigidity to said film by being sized and configured to add material at selected regions of said film.